

## Message Text

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O 231300Z APR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3206  
INFO AMEMBASSY RABAT IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KINSHASA 3850

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PFOR CG MO  
SUBJ: REPORTS OF PRISONERS BEING MISTREATED IN ZAIRE

REF: STATE 090666

I CONVEYED MESSAGE CONTAINED IN REFTEL TO ACTING FONMIN IDZUMBUIR  
APR 23. HE TOOK NOTE OF MY REMARKS AND OFFERED PERSONAL OBSERVATION  
THAT KATANGAN PRISONERS HAD HELPED GOZ WITH THEIR REVELATIONS  
CONCERNING FOREIGN INVOLVEMENT IN SHABA INVASION AND THAT THEY  
WOULD ALSO PRESUMABLY BE INTERVIEWED BY ANY UN OFFICIALS WHO  
MIBHT BE DESIGNATED TO EXAMINE EVIDENCE. IMPLICATION OF  
IDZUMBUIR'S REMARKS WAS THAT PRISONERS PROBABLY WOULD NOT BE  
EXECUTED AT LEAST SO LONG AS THEY ARE OF USE TO GOZ.  
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## Message Attributes

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